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REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

Case of Street Superintendent Gingles Presented With Result that He May Be Reinstated—Now Up to the Board of Public Works.

RELIEF COMMITTEE ASKS APPROPRIATION TO TAKE CARE OF DEFICIT—COMPTROLLER SUBMITS MONTHLY AND ANNUAL REPORTS—SIDEWALK ORDINANCE REPORTED ADVERSELY.

A regular meeting of the city council was held last night, with Mayor Bliss presiding and Aldermen Reilly, Maurer, D'Alemberte, Christie, Hays, Cahn and McHugh being present. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read.

On motion the rules were suspended and a number of outsiders permitted to address the council, the first of whom was Judge A. C. Blount, representing Charles H. Gingles, who was removed from the office of street superintendent by the Board of Public Works, on account of his refusal to return to his post of duty during the yellow fever when requested to do so by the board. Mr. Blount read the various resolutions and motions of the board and the council covering Mr. Gingles' case, and argued that Mr. Gingles had not left the city without permission, as a recent resolution of condemnation adopted by the council implied, and that permission had been granted him by the board to leave the city "as long as the yellow fever lasts."

Rescinded Action.

Alderman Reilly then introduced by request, the following resolution bearing upon the case:

"Whereas, on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1905, a motion was made and carried that Street Superintendent Charles H. Gingles should either resign and resume his duties or resign, and

"Whereas, at the time of the adoption of the said motion this council was not advised that the Board of Public Works had, by resolution adopted August 20, 1905, granted Superintendent Gingles a leave of absence reading as long as yellow fever lasts."

"Therefore, be it resolved, that said motion of September 27, 1905, be and is hereby reconsidered and rescinded. "That the Board of Public Works is hereby requested to ignore the said motion in any future action it may see fit to take in reference to the office of street superintendent and that the clerk of this council be instructed to send a copy of this resolution to the Board of Public Works."

Some discussion was indulged in by the mayor, Mr. Gingles and a number of the aldermen, after the resolution was read, but it was finally passed unanimously.

The matter will now go back to the Board of Public Works and it is not altogether improbable that that body will decide to reinstate Mr. Gingles, which will mean complications, as J. E. Long has been elected to fill the position of street superintendent a few weeks ago when the board declared the office of street superintendent vacant.

Relief Committee.

W. K. Hyer, Jr., then appeared before the council, and informed the members that the Relief Committee had made a thorough canvass of the city and that it had about secured all the money that could be had, and the committee was still short about \$800.00. He asked that the council appropriate enough funds to defray all unpaid bills which had been contracted by the committee and which were still unpaid by reason of the lack of funds and which amounted to about \$800.00. Mr. Hyer stated that the committee would, after all obligations had been paid, show vouchers for all the disbursements made by the Relief Committee.

Alderman McHugh speaking on the same subject, said he was in favor of the appropriation by the council, as it was but fair and just that all of the taxpayers should assist in the city's charity, and that many of them who could well afford it had not given anything towards it yet.

Alderman Reilly was opposed to the appropriation, because he said the funds were not available and that the budget had already been made up, and the emergency fund, out of which the amount would have to be taken, had not been made sufficiently large to stand the entire appropriation without leaving that fund nearly depleted. The matter, however, was referred to the finance committee.

Max Klien, representing the Klien Grocery Co., appeared before the council and asked that he be refunded the penalty which he had been made to pay because he had not secured his license within the limit required by law. This was also referred to the finance committee.

The finance committee reported ad-

Annual Report of City Comptroller

For the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1905.

Pensacola, Fla., November 22, 1905.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council, City of Pensacola: Gentlemen: In compliance with the provisions of Section 86 of the Charter, I have the honor to submit herewith my report for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1905:

Receipts and Disbursements.
There was cash in the Treasury September 30th, 1904. \$15,830 55
The receipts for the year were as follows:
From Licenses \$28,439 86
Fines, Pound Fees and Costs 16,267 50
Taxes 75,224 51
County Road and Bridge Taxes 3,402 88
Miscellaneous 581 83—\$124,316 59

Making \$140,147 14
The disbursements were as follows:
Interest on Bonded Debt \$14,307 00
Bills payable 4,600 00
Real estate purchased 945 00
Expenses Bond Issue 614 22
Judgment A. A. Credille 228 40
License refunded 500 00
Contingent Fund 25 00
Current Expenses paid 110,883 13—132,103 75

Balance cash in treasury September 30th, 1905. \$8,043 39
The Bonded Debt.

There has been no change in this item, the debt remaining at \$240,000, bearing 6 per cent. interest.

Comparative Statement of Floating Debt.
Items. Sept. 30, 1905. Sept. 30, 1904.
Outstanding Scrip 1,219 00
Interest on Bonded Debt 254 50 181 50
Pensacola Water Co.—Current account 4,253 35 4,253 36
Bills payable 9,200 00 13,800 00
Accounts payable 152 10
Uniform account 70 00

Totals \$13,929 95—\$19,433 86

Estimated Revenue.

The revenue for the ensuing year is estimated as follows:
Cash carried over \$8,043 39
From Taxes, 10 mills, less 5% 107,761 75
Licenses 25,000 00
Fines, Pound Fees and Costs 15,000 00
County Road and Bridge Taxes 8,200 00
Miscellaneous 2,000 00

Total \$166,005 14

I have been endeavoring to get a settlement of the County Road and Bridge Taxes past due for some time, and I am glad to say that the matter is now getting into shape and I hope to be able within the next month to report a settlement of all past due amounts.

Statement of Expenses.

Board of Public Safety—
Police Department \$24,306 76
Fire Department 29,298 76
Charities 1,562 62—55,168 14

Board of Public Works—

Street Lighting 10,330 89
Garbage 2,700 00
Streets, Crossings and Parks, Repairs and Improvements 25,153 77
Other expenses 2,518 74—40,703 40
General expenses 11,921 43
Board of Health 3,312 26

Total \$111,105 23

Included in the item of Streets, Crossings, etc., is a considerable amount that probably should have been charged to a special account, being the amount expended in eradicating the yellow fever. I am endeavoring to get these amounts segregated and when this is done will ask for authority to make proper entry transferring the change.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. T. MORGAN
Comptroller.

versely on the sidewalk ordinance requiring all sidewalks in the city limits to be made of stone or cement, which was introduced at a recent meeting. The committee, however, recommended that an ordinance be introduced providing for an extension of the present stone sidewalk limit, which will in all probability be done at the next regular meeting.

This committee reported favorably on the ordinance relating to electric poles and wires, and it was put on its second reading. This ordinance will probably be passed at its next regular meeting.

Mayor Bliss made a verbal report for the Board of Public Safety, and stated that about \$100.00 per month had been saved in feeding the prisoners by the city, instead of having it done by contract, as was done until October 1.

The comptroller submitted the following regular monthly report, which was adopted:

Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 22, 1905.
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